## **Installing Abstract Plus Version 3.1.1.7 Production Release**

To install the Abstract Plus version 3.1.17 production program, complete the following steps:

1. Double-click setup.exe

Result: The Abstract Plus Setup Wizard opens.



2. Click **Next** to continue installation.

Result: The Select Installation Folder window opens.



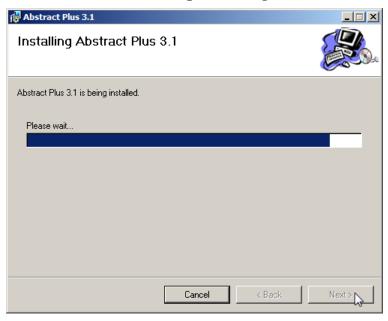
3. Click **Next** to accept the default installation folder.

**Result:** The **Confirm Installation** window opens.

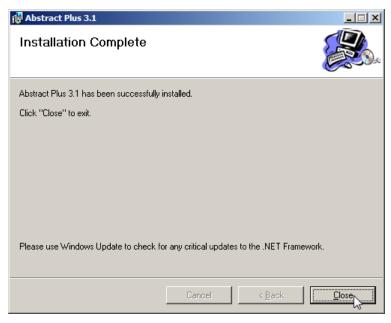


4. Click **Next** to confirm you would like to install Abstract Plus.

**Result:** The installation process begins.



5. When installation has completed, the **Installation Complete** window appears.



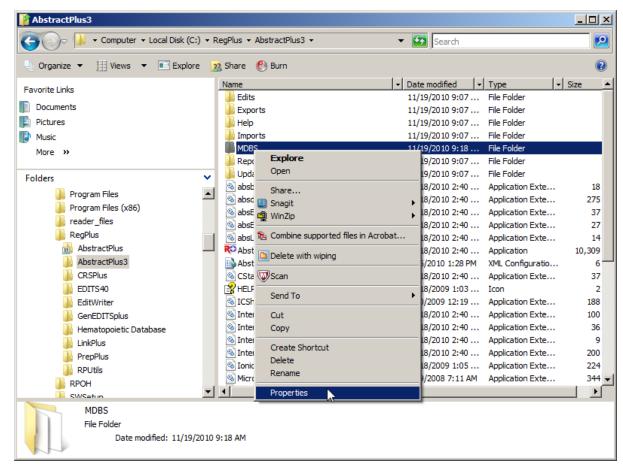
6. Click Close.

## Setting Permissions for User for the Abstract Plus MDBS folder

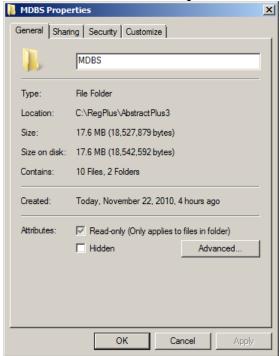
WARNING: For installations on Vista and Windows 7 operating systems, <u>Full Control permissions MUST be granted</u> to the user for the Abstract Plus **MDBS folder**. If permissions are not set, the database backup and restore features of the program will not work correctly, and may result in data loss in the case of a corrupted database.

To grant Full Control permission to the Abstract Plus MDBS folder please complete the following steps:

- 1. Launch Windows Explorer (can right-click on the Start menu and select Explore).
- 2. Locate the Abstract Plus MDBS folder, in C:\RegPlus\AbstractPlus3\MDBS
- 3. **Right-click the MDBS** folder, and select **Properties**.

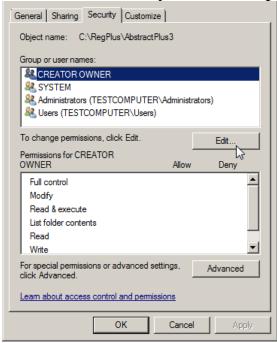


**Result:** The **MDBS Properties** window opens.



4. Click the **Security tab**.

**Result:** The **Security** tab window opens.



5. Under Group or user names, Click Edit.

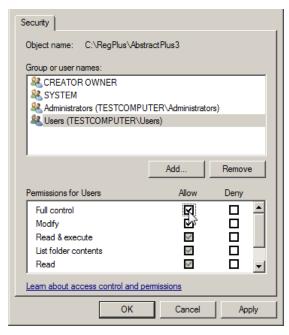
**Result:** The **Security** tab permissions window opens.



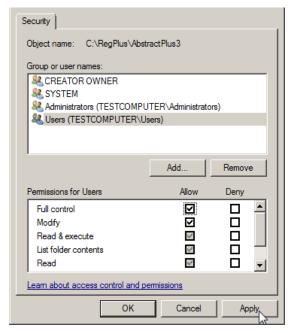
6. Select the Users account to highlight it.

**Result**: The permissions for the Users account is displayed in the lower window

7. In the lower, **Permissions for Users** window, check the Allow check box to the right of the Full control permission (if full control permissions have already been granted, no further action is required).



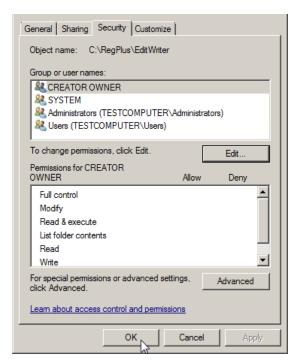
8. In the lower, **Permissions for Users** window, check the Allow check box to the right of the Full control permission (if full control permissions have already been granted, no further action is required).



9. Click **Apply**.

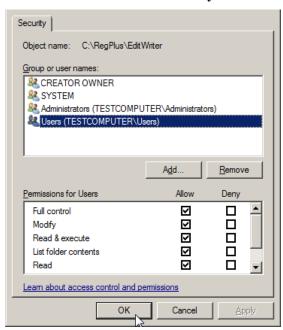
**Result:** Full permissions are granted and displayed for the Users account

10. Click  $\mathbf{OK}$  to close the **Security** tab permissions window.



Result: You are returned to the Security tab window.

11. Click **OK** to close the Security tab window.



**Result:** You are **returned to Windows Explorer** with the full permissions set.